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SOLD 200 TONS OF BAIT.

Canso Cold Storage Company Has Big Season.

The Canso, N. S., Cold Storage Co. has had a very successful season, having baited 57 vessels thus far, with 200 tons of frozen squid. Among the vessels baited within the past two weeks were 18 Nova Scotia bankers on first trips and 10 on second baitings, also the following American salt bankers and halibut catchers:

Sceptre, 10,000 pounds; Judique, 9000; Arcadia, (second baiting), 7000 pounds; Theodore Roosevelt, 3000 pounds; Elector, 8000 pounds; Alice R. Lawson, 7000 pounds; Squanto, 3200 pounds; Agnes, 4000 pounds; Margaret, 2300 pounds; Arkona, (second baiting), 6000 pounds; Helen F. Whitten, (second baiting), 4000 pounds; Essex, 4000 pounds; A. E. Whyland, 4000 pounds.

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ANOTHER MACKEREL FARE.

Sch Arabia Has Her Second Trip of the Season.

A special to the Times this afternoon states that sch. Arabia, Capt. John Matheson, arrived at Fulton Market, New York, this afternoon with 10,000 fresh medium mackerel and 2000 large fresh mackerel.

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DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

Steamer Mystery, shore, 6000 lbs. fresh pollock.
Steamer Quartette, shore, 15,000 lbs. fresh pollock.
Steamer Angelia B. Nickerson, shore, 6000 lbs. fresh pollock.
Steamer Bryda F., shore, 8000 lbs. fresh fish.
Steamer Pet, shore, 12,000 lbs. fresh pollock.
Steamer Elthier, shore, 7000 lbs. fresh pollock.
Sch. Tartar, vi a Boston.

Todays Fish Market.

Board of Trade fresh fish prices: large western cod, \$2.37 1-2; medium do., \$1.62 1-2; large eastern cod, \$2.12 1-2; medium do., \$1.50; snapper do., 60c; cusk, \$1.62 1-2; snapper do., 50c; haddock, \$1.10; hake, \$1.10; pollock, \$1.

Board of Trade salt fish prices: Large Georges handline cod, \$4.75; medium do., \$3.75; salt haddock, \$2; salt pollock, \$2; salt hake, \$2; salt cusk, \$2.50.

Bank halibut, 9 cts. per lb., for white and 6 cts. or gray.

Rips salt cod, \$4.25 per cwt. for large, \$3.25 for medium, and \$2.25 for snappers.

Market price large western cod to split, \$2.50 per cwt., medium do., \$1.62 1-2. Large eastern cod, \$2.50, medium do., \$1.62 1-2.

Market price fresh large Rips cod, \$2.50 per cwt., medium do., \$1.80.

Market price, salt bank cod, \$4 per cwt. for large and \$3.25 for medium.

Market price salt Rips cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.75 for market, \$2.50 for snappers and \$2 for shack.

Fresh round pollock, 95 cts. per cwt.

Market price fresh hake, \$1.20 per cwt.

Boston.

Sch. Philip P. Manta, 15,000 haddock, 3000 cod.
Sch. Pauline, 20,000 cod.
Sch. Joseph P. Johnson, 7000 haddock, 2000 cod.
Sch. Seaconnet, 18,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 500 hake.
Sch. Louisa R. Silva, 26,000 haddock, 4000 cod.
Sch. George H. Lube, 5500 haddock, 10,000 cod, 3000 hake.
Sch. Appomattox, 16,000 cod.
Steamer Ida, 2900 haddock.
Sch. Walter P. Goulart, 55,000 haddock, 25,000 cod.
Sch. Esther Gray, 3500 haddock, 1500 cod.
Sch. Dixie, 5000 cod.
Sch. Rita A. Viator, 2000 haddock.
Sch. Gov. Cleaves.
Haddock, \$2.50 to \$3 per cwt.; large cod, \$2.50 to \$4; market cod, \$1.80 to \$2.50; cusk, \$1.60; hake, \$1.75.

New York.

Sch. Lillian, 5000 fresh medium mackerel.
Sch. Pinta, 5000 fresh medium mackerel.
Sch. Norma, 12,000 fresh medium mackerel.
Sch. Veda M. M. Kown, 22,000 fresh medium mackerel.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Mary Elizabeth is having a new mainmast put in and will fit for trapping under command of Capt. George Douglass.

Capt. Charles Martin has given up command of sch. boat N. A. Rowe and will now open his fish market again and get ready for the summer business.

Sch. Julietta is fitting for south mackerel netting.

Sch. boat Flirt, which was recently dismantled, has been re-rigged sloop fashion and will continue to fish on the shore under command of Capt. Osier.

Capt. Albert Bates has hauled his sloop Lillian out of shore fishing and is slicking her up, getting ready for the summer business of taking out sailing parties.

Sch. Harrie M. Young, which has been lying at East Gloucester, sunk, for some time, has been purchased by Mr. Roger Tarr. She has been raised and will be fitted for shore fishing.

Sch. Jennie B. Hodgdon baited from Edgartown and sailed from there yesterday.

Sch. Rebecca Bartlett arrived at Edgartown from this port yesterday.

Schs. Mabel D. Hines, Arkona, Helen F. Whitten and Conqueror were at Canso, N. S., Monday.

Schs. Georgianna, Blanche, Georgie Campbell, Athlete and Arkona, sailed from Canso on Monday.

Schs. Squanto and Theodore Roosevelt, at Port Mulgrave, N. S., Monday, loaded two cars with fresh halibut to be shipped to Boston.

Schs. Horace B. Parker, Gladiator, Senator Gardner and six other bankers passed south by Port Mulgrave, N. S., Monday, having returned on account of ice to the northward of the strait of Canso.

Sch. Tecumseh, at Boston yesterday with 6000 pounds of fresh halibut, reported getting the fish on Nantucket Shoals. They sold at 10 cents per pound for white and 8 cents for gray.

Herring at Louisburg.

The traps at Louisburg, C. B., took a few herring last Wednesday night.

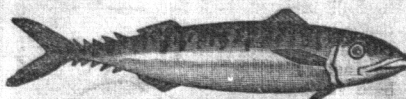
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FIRST NETTER AT NEW YORK.

Sch Cherokee Brought in 25 Large Fresh Mackerel

THREE OTHERS SHIPPED FISH.

Seiners Natalie B. Nickerson and Arthur James Have Fares.



The first netter has arrived at New York, the lucky craft being the little sch. Cherokee, Capt. Benjamin Lumsden, which made Fulton dock this morning with 25 large fresh mackerel. The fish were taken 20 miles southeast of Barnegat and the captain reports a very thick fog prevailing.

The following netters did not come to market, but sent their fish to New York yesterday:

Sch. Laura Reed, 47 large fresh mackerel.

Sch. Stranger, 70 large fresh mackerel.

Sch. Actor, 21 large fresh mackerel.

The first netter last season arrived at Fulton market April 27, with a few fish.

A special to the Times this forenoon reports the arrival of sch. Natalie B. Nickerson, Capt. John S. Seavey, at Fulton market, with 17,000 fresh mackerel. For the most part the fare is composed of medium fish, there being a few bloaters among them.

A late despatch this noon states that sch. Arthur James, Capt. Archibald Devine, is at New York with another trip, having 18,000 medium fresh mackerel.

ON ONE SET.

Sch. Mary E. Cooney's Crew Made \$50 Each.

Sch. Mary E. Cooney, Capt. Frank Cooney, which arrived at T wharf yesterday, weighed off 27,000 pounds of fresh cod and haddock, every pound of which was taken in one set of the trawls. The craft got a fine price as the fish was bran new and the crew are today tickled over a share of \$50 on just that one set.

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Largest Crab.

In the American Museum of Natural History in New York is a wonder of marine life. It is a gigantic Japanese crab, measuring twelve feet across, making it the largest in the world. The specimen is a type of the spider crab, which inhabits the waters of the group of islands forming the empire of Japan. The body portion of the crab is the size of a half bushel measure, while its great arms could easily encircle the figure of a man. Its legs resemble poles and are extremely elastic, and if strung into one line they would reach to the top of a four story apartment building.—New York Herald.

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Round Pollock Go Up.

Round pollock took a jump yesterday afternoon, when the majority of these fish brought in here by the little steamers sold to the Gloucester Fresh Fish Co. at \$1.05 per hundred weight, an advance of 10 cents over previous sales. The steamers have been doing fairly well of late, getting their hauls right off the harbor.

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Sch. Etta Mildred, 20,000 cod.
Sch. Olympia, 1700 cod.
Sch. Teresa and Alice, 20,000 haddock, 5000 cod.
Sch. Annie Laurie, 2500 haddock, 1000 cod.
Sch. Ida S. Brooks, 8000 haddock, 1000 cod.
Sch. William A. Morse, 25,000 haddock, 11,000 cod.
Sch. Flora J. Sears, 3000 haddock, 1000 cod.
Sch. Mabel Bryson, 1000 haddock, 9000 cod.
Sch. Morning Star, 2000 cod.
Sch. Mary J Ward, 1000 cod.
Sch. George E. Lane, Jr., 25,000 cod.
Sch. Emelia Enos, 14,000 haddock, 7000 cod.
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Fishing Fleet Movements.
Sch. Centennial, formerly of this port, was at Port Mulgrave, N. S., Tuesday, bound for the Magdalen Islands for herring.
Sch. Georgianna passed north by Port Mulgrave Tuesday.
Sch. Robert and Carr of Portland was in port last night, bound seining.

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FROM SUNNY SOUTH.
Eight Gloucester Fishermen Got Home Thursday Morning.

Have Been Winter Snapper Fishing Out of Galvestown.

Messrs. William Mosher, Daniel McPhee, Henry Boushee, Alex. McDonald, William Taylor, John McDonald and a few other well known Gloucester fishermen arrived home here yesterday from Galveston, Texas, where they have been engaged in red snapper fishing the past winter.
They report a very good fishing season, most of them doing well. They had not seen a bit of frost since leaving here, and the people of the city said it was the best winter they had had for 15 years. Flowers were in bloom all the time and the fruit was ripe when they left to come north.
The weather had also been fine on the fishing grounds of Campeche bank and other spots, and had it not been for getting the fins of the fish stuck in them, they could have fished at the rail in their bare feet. A Capt. McKenzie, who formerly fished out of this port for several years, was commander of one of the fleet out there and was one of the highliners, but when the Gloucester men left for home he had given up going fishing for a spell and was working at rigging.

They also report that there will be another fishing firm at Galveston next season and that this summer a representative of the concern is coming here to either purchase or have built six or seven vessels, fit them out here and take crews here and have them at Galveston in time for the fall fishing.

While at Galveston, the Gloucester men posted on what was going on in the harbor and other lines, most of them having the Times sent them daily. When coming up New York harbor on Wednesday on the steamer, it made them feel good to get a sight of a Gloucester seiner. She was bound out, having just landed a fare. Mosher and Boushee knew her for sch. Lucania, having been many trips in her, and as she went by quite close they hailed Capt. Welch and his crew, who recognized some of them and answered the hail.

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CASES NOT YET SETTLED

Until Passed Upon by British Privy Council.

SAYS CONGRESSMAN GARDNER.

Regarding Recent Decision of Newfoundland Supreme Court

Wishing to ascertain how the recent decision of the Newfoundland supreme court in the case of Crane and Dubois, the two Newfoundland fishermen who were arrested for shipping on sch. Ralph L. Hall, contrary to the provisions of Newfoundland local law, but permitted by the modus vivendi between this country and England, was considered in Washington, the Times yesterday afternoon telegraphed to Congressman A. P. Gardner, who is at the capital for a few days, the following message:

"What effect will the recent decision of the Newfoundland supreme court on the case of the Newfoundland men, shipped on sch. Ralph L. Hall at Bay of Islands last year, have on the possible renewal of the modus vivendi with England this fall, or what effect will it have on other negotiations with England, looking to a complete settlement of the whole Newfoundland United States fisheries dispute?"

Last evening the Times received the following reply:

"I do not regard the Crane and Dubois cases as settled until passed upon by the British privy council. It is impossible for me to comment upon decision of Newfoundland supreme court until the exact wording is at hand. I have sent for original document as cable account is meagre."

"A. P. Gardner."

The opinion of Congressman Gardner that the cases are not settled until passed upon by British privy council can very well be considered, also, as the general opinion of official at Washington, for on matters of this nature, affecting the New England fisheries and New England troubles, he keeps in close touch with the state department and probably knows its feeling and opinion on matters of this kind better than any except the heads of that department themselves.

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SCH. MOOWEEN AT NEW YORK.
Has 100 Barrels of Fresh Medium Mackerel.

Sch. Mooween of Boston, Capt. Joseph Graham of this port, arrived at Fulton market, New York, this afternoon, with 100 barrels of fresh medium mackerel.

A special to the Times just before going to press states that sch. Avalon, Capt. Christopher Carrigan, had arrived at Fulton market, New York, with 10,000 fresh medium mackerel in count.

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Good Trip.

Sch. Teazer, Capt. Peter Dunskey, arrived last evening from Georges halibuting, with a fine trip, having 10,000 pounds of halibut, 15,000 pounds of salt cod and 30,000 pounds of fresh fish.

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DID BUT LITTLE.

Pollock Seiners Did Not Hit Them Heavy Yesterday.

The fleet of pollock seining steamers did not hit them heavy off here yesterday, the Joppaite being the only one to have fish and she had only 2000 pounds. This morning the fleet all went out again, but returned early without a set, finding a regular northeast gale blowing outside.

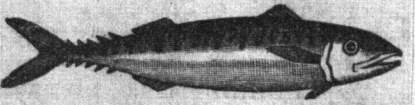
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KEEPING UP GOOD WORK.

Nine More Seiners at Fulton Market This Morning

SCH. ELECTRIC FLASH'S FARE

Skippers Grumble and Growl at Continued Bad Weather.



And still the good work keeps up out south among the seiners and the mackerel schools and this morning finds nine more vessels at Fulton market, with good fares of fresh ones. The crafts are:

Sch. Helen G. Wells, Capt. Edward McLean, 8000 large fresh mackerel, 2000 medium fresh mackerel.

Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, Capt. Joshua W. Stanley, 16,000 medium fresh mackerel.

Sch. Constellation, Capt. Thaddeus Morgan, 12,000 medium fresh mackerel.

Sch. Saladin, Capt. Flar McKown, 5000 large fresh mackerel, 17,000 medium fresh mackerel.

Sch. Electric Flash, Capt. William Bissert, 15,000 large fresh mackerel, 15,000 medium fresh mackerel.

Sch. Victor, Capt. John W. McFarland, 8000 medium fresh mackerel.

Sch. Marguerite Haskins, 9000 medium fresh mackerel.

Just as we go to press a despatch from New York announces the arrival of sch. Romance, Capt. William Corkum, with a big fare, 30,000 medium fresh mackerel in count and also sch. Priscilla Smith, Capt. William J. Corkum, with a nice trip 20,000 medium fresh mackerel in count.

All the vessels with fares of medium mackerel have some large mackerel mixed in with them.

Yesterday afternoon and this morning the fish were selling at 20 cents each for large and 8 cents each for mediums.

This is the second trip for schs. Helen G. Wells and Lizzie M. Stanley, the fourth for sch. Constellation, the first for schs. Electric Flash and Victor, and the third for sch. Saladin and Marguerite Haskins.

Capt. William Bissert of sch. Electric Flash has one of the largest fares of the season, hailing for 300 barrels, calling his fish about 30,000 in count, half of them being large. At present prices the schooner will make a fine stock.

Thus far there are but 16 of the fleet which have sailed south from here that have not landed a fare.

Up to noon today, 42 different vessels of the southern seining fleet have been in with fish and have landed in all 83 fares. Beside these, one netter has been in and three netters have shipped fish to New York. The catch to date is more than double that of last year at this time.

Sch. Helen G. Wells, which arrived at New York yesterday afternoon, had in a new bowsprit, which she had stepped at Staten Island a week ago yesterday. It is thought that she lost the other stick by having been run into on the fishing grounds.

The total importations of salt mackerel at the port of Boston for the season to date have been 41,780 bbls. against 45,389 bbls. in 1906, 30,322 bbls. in 1905 and 49,070 bbls. in 1904.

The catch of fresh mackerel to date up to 10 o'clock by the New England fleet has been about 10,200 bbls. against 4900 bbls. in 1906, 3551 bbls. in 1906 and 9931 bbls. in 1904.

One of the crew of a southern seiner who left the vessel at New York recently came home here yesterday. He reports that nothing but the worst kind of weather has prevented the fleet making one of the biggest catches made out south in years. He said that it had been almost constant blowy, stormy, and foggy weather since the fleet first got out there, and that some of the sets for schools were made at great risk, the skippers and men, all nerved up at the sight of so many fish, taking desperate chances and risking life and seineboat in their attempts to make a haul.